

## Recent Operations

By Paul Rardin

Before the sneak attack by the Japs and something happened to our rubber supply I gave little thought to tires on my car. With the tread was about worn smooth it called for a new set of tires.

The tires on my car are 3 years, 6 months and 12 days old now. They are the original tires that came on the car when I bought it in December 1940. To date they have rolled a total of 49,290 miles.

After the rationing came along—many months ago—it became necessary for the tires to be replaced. The rationing card functioned and I went to West Palm Beach to have the recapping done. The concern that was given me was that with correct driving I could get between 7,000 and 9,000 miles out of the recaps. That sounded like a lot of mileage out of recaps but I took their word for it.

To make a long story short—I had all four of those same tires recapped again last week and the speedometer showed that the first set of recaps had rolled 16,235 miles. Far more mileage than the recapping concern promised.

I was astonished when I figured up the mileage on the recaps and found that I had received more than 16,000 miles service out of a set of tires which before the war I would have traded in on new ones—and probably received \$150 each.

Which all goes to prove something or other.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Harrington returned to their home in Canal Point over the week end after a two week vacation in South Carolina and Georgia where they visited relatives. At West S. J. C., they visited their son, J. S. Jr., who is in the army and was receiving special training at Redskins College. On the return trip they stopped off in Georgia and visited relatives at Morven Mrs. Ray Lawson and Mrs. H. J. Lawson and daughter, Martha, returned to Canal Point on the way to a visit. In commenting on the trip, which was made by bus and train, Mr. Harrington remarked that travel at present is very easy, connections as a rule were satisfactory.

Miss Helen Latham, who recently finished her first year as a student nurse at St. Vincent's hospital in Jacksonville, was guest of honor at a Methodist home supper Monday night at the home of Miss Bertie Mullen in Canal Point.

Mrs. W. E. Johnson has returned to Canal Point after spending the past several weeks in Miami with her husband who was stationed there in the navy.

## Farewell Service For David Unwin

A goodly number attended the Wednesday night Prayer Meeting and Sunday School Session at the Pahoekoe Baptist Church, who left Friday for Camp Blanding. In recognition of service to the Sunday School secretary and faithful worker in general, David was presented with a beautiful Genuine Morocco handbag and a card expressing appreciation. The pastor, Rev. Wm. E. Johnson, presented the card.

At an evening service, the Training Union will give "Using Our Freedom." A warm welcome is extended to all the young people to these services. The evening service will be held at 8:00 o'clock conducted by the pastor.

## County Wide Mass Meeting For War Be Held On Monday

Flagler Park In West Palm Beach To Be Scene Of Meeting

Much interest is being shown in the County Wide Mass Meeting for War to be held at Flagler Park in West Palm Beach Monday, July 5th at 7:45 P. M. Captain H. D. Hill of West Palm Beach, General Chairman for the meeting, and Paul E. Twitty, Chairman of the Palm Beach County Defense Council have expressed hope that every community in the county will be represented at this Independence Day-Civilian Defense meeting by a large delegation.

The Sullivan of the Regional Office of Civilian Defense in Atlanta will address the meeting on "What Lie Ahead in Civilian Defense." The Third Air Force of Boca Raton will play a short concert before the meeting and furnish incidental music during the program. This band is considered one of the finest in the country and has no peer among military bands. Other special short entertainment features are planned.

Leo Sullivan, the speaker from Atlanta, is one of the best known orators in Georgia and is considered one of the country's foremost speakers on Civilian Defense. He appeared before a small group of county officials at a Civilian Defense meeting in West Palm Beach on June 18th and made a lasting impression on those few who heard him. In addition to Mr. Sullivan's address, short statements will be heard from prominent defense leaders from various parts of the county as to what their own community has done, is doing and expects to do in civilian defense.

## New Commander Urges Attendance

At a meeting of Fred and Percy Mansfield Post 90 in the Legion Hall Monday night the new commander, Harry Waldschlager, urged attendance at the meeting of the American Legion in times like these and announced that regular meetings would be held twice monthly, on the second and fourth Monday evenings, starting in July. He urged every member of the Legion to attend these meetings and take part in the important work that is scheduled to come before the group.

The discussion on what measures should be taken to repair and remodeling of the Legion Hall was continued over from the last meeting with no final decision yet arrived at by the building committee.

## Navy Men Honored By Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Blech

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Blech entertained at their Pahoekoe home Tuesday evening in honor of their son, Ross, who is an Ensign in the navy and stationed at Fort Lauderdale. The dinner was accompanied home by three other navy men stationed at Lauderdale. They were: Ensign C. J. Lefferson of Washington, D. C.; Ensign J. E. Day of St. Louis, Tenn.; and Ensign James Huggins of Columbia, S. C. Miss Jane Sims, Miss Jean, Shaghaunah, Miss Louise Sims and Miss Betty Jean McFarley were also guests.

## Barney Whitman Dies From Injuries

Barney O. Whitman, 45, died Friday morning from injuries received in a fall on Monday, June 28, from a shipyard in Brunswick where he had been working for the past few weeks as a painter.

Before going to Brunswick this spring he had been a resident of Pahoekoe for approximately 10 years and was widely known throughout the Glades as a painter, contractor and sign painter.

Funeral services were held at Round Oak, Ga., on Sunday.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Irene; a daughter, Mrs. Edna Hines of Miami; a son, Mollie Whitman of Pahoekoe, two grand children and several brothers and sisters.

Mr. Whitman is reported to be seriously ill at a hospital in Brunswick.

## Prayers Are Answered

(From Christian Science Monitor) By William C. Taggart

Chaplain, U. S. Army Air Corps, I believe in prayer. I believe in it all because of my own experience and because of what I have seen and heard as a chaplain with our forces in the field.

During the last thirty days, religion has frequently been watered down with social service. The church has too often turned from matters that concern the individual to the problems of people in general. It has become a social club, not an empty form, at least a ritual which has lost a great deal of its meaning.

But we are learning again that prayer works for the individual. Where I have been, it's got to. I have seen men who were an an Air Force chaplain—have men on their knees.

One of our Flying Fortress was forced down at sea on its way back to Australia. The crew of the plane were in a desperate situation. They were in a desperate situation. They were in a desperate situation.

"It was before dawn when we crashed," Lindbergh told me. "We just had time to shove off on two rubber rafts, under a crumb of food or a drop of water."

## Vacation Bible School Plans Made

The Union Vacation Bible School is completing plans for what is hoped will be the most interesting event of its kind in the history of Pahoekoe. The session will begin Monday, July 12, at 9 A. M. at the First Methodist Church in Pahoekoe and will continue for two weeks.

J. E. Cox, principal of the Canal Point School, has consented to present a daily program of educational movies to take the place of the Manual Training Program, omitted because of conditions. According to Dean, the Rev. C. A. Moberg, a picnic will bring the school to a close if the weather is attained. Every person of all ages are attended. Every person of all ages are attended.

## Typographical Boners

By Fred G. Neuman

Some of the finest jokes extant come from the finger tips. Often these mistakes or "boners" are funny, long, long time afterward. For instance, several years ago a newspaper was threatened with a lawsuit when a private dance was engaged as a screen star to act in the movies. A typographical error made the heading read, "Screen star who is private invited to act in the movies."

Back about the beginning of the century an American who had been on a tour around the world found himself much annoyed with a report of his return. The report ended his story with the words, "The fact that an 'er' failed the compositor who, in setting up the report, had omitted the letter 'r' from the word 'unchanged'."

Only recently a somewhat elaborated notion of a young lady's visit and departure failed to make any sense at all. The fact that an "er" failed the compositor who, in setting up the report, had omitted the letter 'r' from the word 'unchanged'.

Another old-timer I recall concerned Theodore Roosevelt. A Buffalo paper, in describing the scene when "Teddy" took the oath of office, stated that he "swore a spectacle never to be forgotten when Roosevelt, before the chief justice of the Supreme Court and his witnesses, 'took his simple oath'—meaning that of course."

Not long since a theatrical man contemplated writing a lengthy article on the "Dramatic Strides of Francis P. Whitehair." A brother paper announced his intention and left the "r" out of "shirines."

An unfortunate error portrayed itself from the columns of a Bridgeport, Conn. paper about twenty years ago, in the description of a wedding. It read: "The bride carried an arm bouquet of pink roses." "Pink" was the word intended, but it seems the gods are powerful in the hands of the printer. The printer had omitted the "r" from the word "pink" and the result was a "pink" bouquet of roses.

## Browning Roach Is Lion Official

Browning Roach, charter member of the Pahoekoe Lions Club, has been appointed district deputy governor for the Lions district, district 35-8, of southeastern international. The appointment was announced by District Governor Henry P. Johnson and became effective July 1.

Mr. Roach is a past president of the Pahoekoe club as well as a charter member and has served in several official capacities of the club since it was organized in 1929. His appointment followed recommendations made by delegates from this section at the state convention held at Mount Dora in May. The district to be served by Mr. Roach includes all Lions clubs from Okechobee to Key West. It will be his duty to visit each club in an official capacity as a representative of the district governor.

## Cub Pack Holds Regular Meeting

The first regular meeting of Boy Scout Cub Pack 23 since its organization in Pahoekoe last month was held at the high school building last Friday night with Commander E. F. McFarland presiding.

The five tigers were numbered as follows: Den One, H. J. Schuchman, den leader, and Frank Rozelle, Jr., den chief; Den Two, Mrs. J. V. Thomas, den mother, and John T. Pickett, Jr., den chief; Den Three, Mrs. Raymond Christian, den mother, and Billy Adams, den chief; Den Four, Mrs. O. L. Wilber, den mother; Den Five, Mrs. Clarence Maxwell, den mother.

George Rozelle and Bobby Schroeder of Den One presented an original Indian dance with costumes of their own designing. The dance was made of song, poetry, bead stringing, collections and scrap books. George Rozelle was recommended for advancement to Wolf Cub rank.

## Patriotic Program For The Baptists

Day-keeping with Independence Day, July 4th, a special service will be held at the Pahoekoe Baptist Church, Pahoekoe, at 11 o'clock. The reading, "I Am the United States," will be read by Mrs. C. A. Moberg, who will be the compeniant at the piano by Rev. Moberg. A program of the Bible School and Pledge of the Boy Scouts will be presented. The pastor will speak on "Freedom of the Church and the World." The choir will sing "The Star-Spangled Banner" and "The Star-Spangled Banner."

## Whitehair Finishes Special Course

DELAND, July 1. (FNS)—Lieut. Francis P. Whitehair, former Volusia county lawyer and candidate for Governor in the last election, was graduated last week with the first class at the United States Naval School of Military Government at Columbia University.

Lieut. Whitehair was the only man from the South in the class. The course, lasting ten months, dealt with international administration, anthropology, political and economic geography and foreign language. His graduates are fully prepared and qualified to take posts as governors of conquered territories.

## Scott Lee Tells Of FFA Benefits

Scott Lee, a Belle Glade High School student who in partnership with another FFA boy made an outstanding record in farming during the past year, was guest speaker at the Tuesday luncheon meeting of the Pahoekoe Lions Club. Introduced by Harry E. George, vocational agriculture instructor for Pahoekoe and Belle Glade schools, the speaker told of the value of FFA training and of the tremendous profits he and his partner made from the 49-acre field of cabbage which was harvested from their 100-acre farm.

A key membership award was presented to Stewart Spence by Browning Roach, zone chairman. It was announced that the annual installation of officers would be held next Tuesday, July 6, with Rupert Mock, retiring president in charge of arrangements.

## Deposits In Bank Pahoekoe Show 1 1/2 Million Increase

Continuing its steady growth with the community the Bank of Pahoekoe in its statement of June 30, 1943, shows an increase in deposits of more than one and one-half million dollars since the last statement was printed on Dec. 31, 1942.

At the close of business Wednesday noon of this week the deposits were \$3,355,104.81 and in December 1942 they were \$1,865,281.28. Loans at the bank on Dec. 31, 1942 were \$234,892.51 and at the close of business Wednesday they were \$246,801.35. Banking hours, furniture and fixtures were listed at \$6,202.54. U. S. bonds, State County and Municipal bonds, Stocks, cash on hand and due from banks total \$3,262,257.20.

## George Tells Of FFA Work

A summary of the work accomplished by the Pahoekoe Chapter, The Farmers of America, during the past year was given by George Rozelle, chapter president, at the chapter meeting held at the high school building last Friday night. The chapter has a total of 875 members in the chapter.

The FFA boys were also very active in the school, scrap book, and in the community. With the assistance of the school board they joined the Belle Glade FFA Chapter in the purchase of a modern farm tractor which will be used in the school farm.

## Eastern Star Met Thursday

Members of the Pahoekoe Chapter, Order of Eastern Star held their last meeting of the season last night at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Allen, worthy Matron, and J. W. Barrett, presiding.

Plans for the annual program to be held in August in observance of the 100th anniversary of Robert Morris Day were made with Mrs. Hullett Denton appointed chairman in charge of arrangements. The worthy matron was authorized to solicit Chapter funds in case of emergency during the summer. It was announced that regular Chapter meetings will be suspended in July, August and September. The next meeting to be held was on Thursday in October.

Following the business a covered-dinner was served. Mrs. Helen Albaugh, Mrs. Graham and Miss Frances Howell, a guest, were in charge of entertainment. The guests were I. E. Hamilton, V. C. Allen, Allen Gresh and Mr. Waters.









